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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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□ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on □ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

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Amendment/Reply

□ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

■ Other: MARKED-UP COPY, LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN WITH 18 SHEETS OF FORMA **DRAWINGS**

FEES RATE CALCULATIONS ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of months. \$130.00 \$0.00 ■ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) \$740.00 \$740.00 □ Total Claims (10)minus (22) No. Extra Claims $(0) \times \$18 =$ \$0.00 ☐ Indep. Claims **(5)** minus (8)No. Extra Claims (0) x \$84 \$0.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS: \$740.00 □ REDUCTION BY 50% FOR FILING AS SMALL ENTITY \$0.00 TOTAL: \$740.00

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SIR:

Any corrections required by the Chief Draftsman or drawings amendments approved by the Examiner have been incorporated into the copies of the Formal Drawings submitted herewith. It is requested that the enclosed 18 sheets of Formal Drawings be entered to replace the drawings previously filed in this application.

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